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NARROW ESCAPE IN  
SHANGHAI BOMBING

Wife of China's Dictator Visits  
War-Torn City  
Incognito

INSPECTS THE LINES

Japanese Consider Her Japan's  
Public Enemy  
No. 1

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SHANGHAI, Sept. 18.—(INS)—Mme. Chiang Kai-Shek, wife of China's dictator, visited Shanghai incognito today and narrowly escaped a bombardment raging in the war-torn city.

Known as one of the world's most powerful women in view of her position as "de facto joint generalissimo" of China's four hundred millions, she arrived in a mud-splattered automobile, heavily veiled in black and accompanied by three bodyguards.

As she inspected the Chinese battle lines, the positions were subjected to terrific pounding by Japanese artillery units.

As head and creator of the Chinese Air Force, she planned to ship to Nanking 17 Japanese airplanes which have been shot down by Chinese guns and aircraft during the conflict here.

The Japanese consider Mme. Chiang Japan's public enemy No. 1. The Chinese regard her life, with the Generalissimo as the most precious in all China.

Frequently she fearlessly risks her life, as in her visit today, which took her to points where the Chinese entrenchments most closely approached the Japanese lines.

Her trip to Shanghai today marked the sixth anniversary of the famous Mukden incident, which led to Japanese conquest of Manchuria. How the Chinese soldiers idolize her as a national heroine was amply illustrated in the warmth of their greetings and

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Well-Known Resident Dies  
After A Lengthy Illness

Mrs. Mary M. Wright (nee Lake), widow of Joseph Wright, died at her residence, Wood and Mulberry streets, yesterday afternoon, following a lengthy illness.

The well-known Bristolian had been in ill health since February, and had been confined to her bed for the past seven weeks. Born in Philadelphia, Mrs. Wright came here as a child, and had resided here for most of her lifetime.

A daughter, Miss M. Adelia Wright, survives, as do also two sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Walter Heitmueller, Philadelphia; Mrs. Kathryn Tiernan, Newark, N. J.; Morris Lake, Bristol; and William Wilson, California.

The late Mrs. Wright was affiliated with St. Mark's Church.

Feast of Tabernacles To  
Be Marked in Bristol

Services inaugurating Sukkos, Feast of Tabernacles, will be held in the Synagogue Ahivath Achim, at 7.30 o'clock tomorrow evening. The Rev. Charles A. Mischke, recently appointed rabbi of the congregation, will officiate, the subject of his sermon will be "The Meaning of Sukkos." On Monday morning services will be held at 8.30 o'clock.

The first two days of Sukkos, a nine day festival, are holidays. The eighth day, beginning 7.30 Sunday night, September 26th, is known as "Shemini Azerit," or the Eighth Day of Assembly, when special services in memory of the departed take place. The last day of the festival is known as "Simhat Torah," or the rejoicing of the Law. This begins Monday evening, 7.45 o'clock, September 28th. The children will participate in the procession of the Scrolls of the Law, known as the "Hakafoth." A delightful party, sponsored by the Ladies' Auxiliary, will be given to the children at the conclusion of the services.

Yom Kippur, Day of Atonement, was observed with much solemn ceremony in the synagogue Tuesday evening and Wednesday. This day, the holiest of the High Holy Days, was ushered in with the chanting of the famous Kol Nidre melody. Jews spent the entire day at the synagogue in penitence and prayer, with total abstinence from food and drink. The Rev. Mischke officiated.

OBSERVE BIRTHDAYS

Mrs. J. G. Schaffer, Bath Road, and Mrs. Emma Vandegrift, Pine street, celebrated their birthdays jointly Saturday evening last, by entertaining the following at the home of Mrs. Vandegrift: Mrs. William Lacey, Mr. and Mrs. William Lacey, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Yarnall and family, Miss Marion Hellings, Frankford; Paul, Norman and Roland Vandegrift, Miss Edna Hellings, Bristol; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hill, Wycombe; William Betz Edgely.

TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water ..... 1.53 a. m.  
Low water ..... 9.05 a. m., 9.25 p. m.

LATEST NEWS - - -

Received by International  
News Service Leased  
Wires.

Residents Shiver in Cold

Pennsylvanians shook the moth balls out of top coats, sweaters and other heavy clothing today, as Fall made its unofficial debut.

The mercury skidded 20 to 30 degrees during the night and "fair and cooler" weather was forecast for today. Extra blankets for comfortable sleeping and furnace fires were the order of the day.

Light frost was reported in a number of sections of the state.

Fall does not make its official visit until Thursday.

Gridiron followers greeted the cooler weather with a smile. A number of football games were scheduled for today, and football doesn't go right unless it's at least cool.

Five Hurt in Crash

Cheltenham, Pa., Sept. 18.—Five persons were injured today in a motor collision here. They were Robert Wallace, 31, his wife Louise, 27, and their son, Jules, 6; Louise Longshaw and Anna Wallace, 55, of Philadelphia.

The War Situation

Chinese forces in northern China resorted to flood water to stem the Japanese advance today, as Sino-Japanese conflict spread over an ever-increasing battle front.

Latest developments:

1. Madame Chiang Kai-Shek, wife of China's dictator, narrowly escaped bombardment in visit to Shanghai.
2. Chinese relief forces struggled north to rescue 50,000 comrades trapped by Japanese below Peiping. River beds broken in an attempt to wipe out Japanese.
3. Japanese campaign progressing.
4. British admiralty announces plane presumed to be Spanish government craft attacked British destroyer Fearless.

BUMPER COTTON CROP  
CHALLENGES THE TRADE

Becomes Increasing Factor In  
The Marts of The  
World

DIMINISHING DEMAND

(Note: This is the first of a series of articles dealing with the problems of the cotton farmer. With a bumper crop on his hand, the farmer finds a decreasing domestic consumption and a diminishing world demand.)

By Malcolm Yates  
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

NEW ORLEANS, La., Sept. 18.—(INS)—Rapidly maturing under an Autumn sun, the South's bumper cotton crop today challenged the attention of the cotton trade, clamored for recognition at the doors of government and became an increasing factor in the marts of the world.

With one of the bumper crops of all time on hand, the cotton farmer faced a diminishing world demand for American cotton and feared a falling market.

The critical condition now facing the cotton farmer is due in considerable measure to the bounty of nature. The gods of harvest have bestowed upon the south a cotton crop that in yield per acre bids fair to set an all-time record.

The crop reporting service of the U. S. department of agriculture forecasts a yield of 15,593,000 bales, which is 25.8 per cent more than last year's crop of 12,399,000 bales. The key to these figures is found in the government's forecast of a yield of 223.3 pounds an acre, which if borne out will prove the bumper crop of history.

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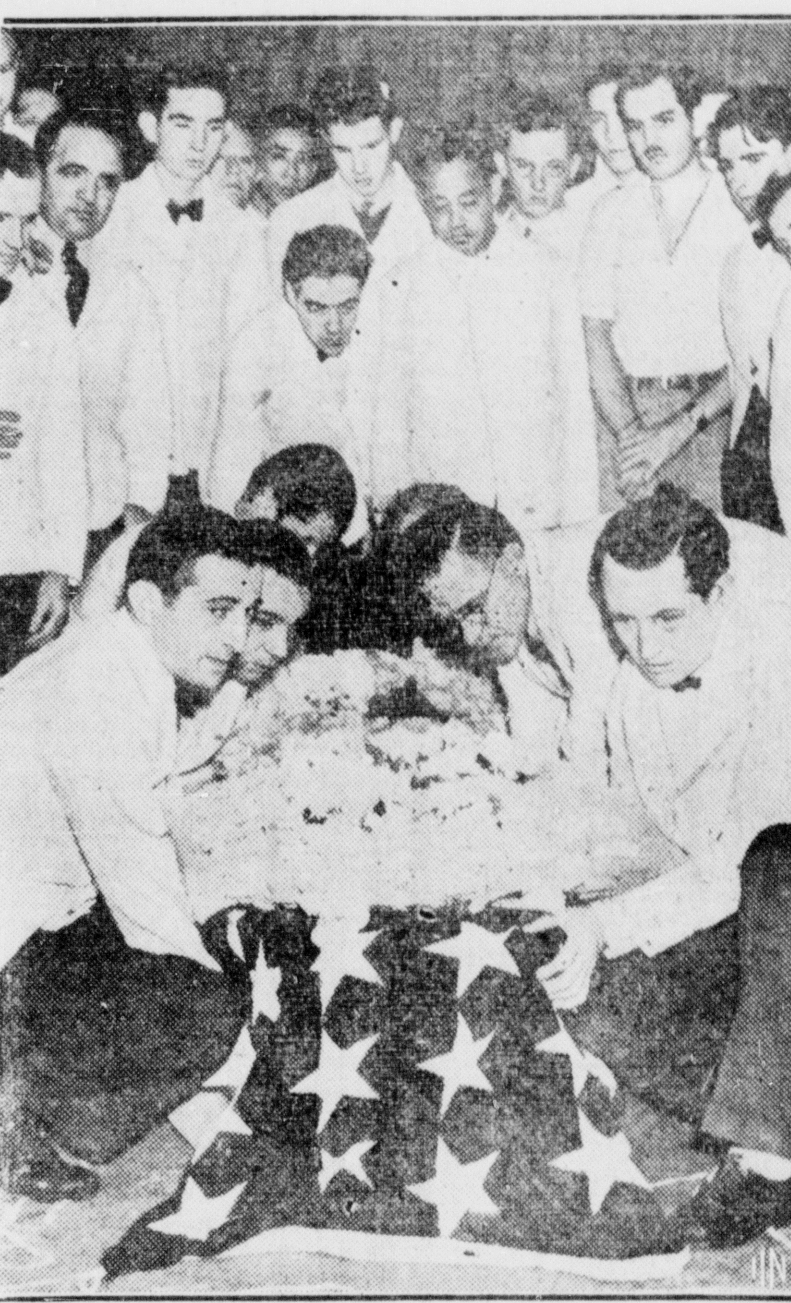
Hawk Sanctuary Is Being  
Visited By Bucks Countians

Bucks County Natural Science Association is today making a trek to Hawk Mountain Sanctuary, in Northern Berks County.

It is during the third week in September that the largest flights of hawks occur and so the trip was arranged for today by the Bucks Countians.

A number of friends of association members were expected to join the party for the interesting journey.

Hoover Victim Brought Home



The casket of Lionel Haskell, 24, of Baltimore, Md., is brought ashore as the President Hoover returns to San Francisco from Shanghai. Haskell, a member of the crew on the Hoover, was killed when the American liner was bombed in the China sea by Chinese pilots who mistook the ship for a Japanese transport.

CIVIC CLUB OPENS ITS  
SEASON AT YARDLEY

Newly-Elected President, Mr. John B. Force, is The Officer in Charge

PLANS MADE FOR YEAR

YARDLEY, Sept. 18.—The first meeting of Yardley Civic Club for the 1937-38 season occurred Thursday in the club rooms with a program celebrating the national holiday, "Constitution Day."

Mrs. John B. Force, newly elected president, presided.

Meeting was opened by the singing of "America," followed by a silent prayer honoring Mrs. J. J. Broadhurst, who died this week. Announcement was made of the State Federation of Women's Clubs to be held at Ursinus College, September 23rd, with a program to be given by members of Yardley Club at a Jenkintown store on the same day.

Notes of appreciation for flowers sent during illness were read from Mrs. William H. Tams and Mrs. A. A. Danser. Mrs. Ida Weedon and Mrs. Elizabeth Hoffman, W. P. A. representatives, expressed a desire that an educational project be started in Yardley. A class may open with six members, but ten are necessary for continuance of the class.

Miss Lillian E. VanArtsdalen, has made plans to start a chorus to be entered in the contest to be staged by the county organization during the year. A gift, a red maple tree, was presented to Mrs. John B. Force, who was formerly Mrs. S. S. Hartman, this being accompanied by a poem "To Our President" written by Mrs. Robert Barbour.

Mrs. Louis C. Leedom reported for the welfare committee that several children had been taken care of at

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DEMOCRATS SPLIT OVER  
NAMING COUNTY LEADER

Webster S. Achey Resigns and  
Selection of Successor  
Causes Rift

COMMITTEE AT ODDS

The Democratic party in Bucks County is at odds over the selection of a county chairman to succeed Webster S. Achey, resigned.

According to some of those active in the party Dr. John Flood will be the next county chairman. Then there are others who argue that Flood will have plenty of opposition from the forces of William Fromhagen, superintendent of State Highways in Bucks County.

The naming of a chairman has been attempted without success and another meeting is to be held Tuesday evening.

Official announcement was made at a meeting of the executive committee of the Bucks County Democratic organization of the resignation of County Chairman Webster S. Achey.

According to the "Perkasie Central News," the Democratic organization in Bucks county was split wide open at a meeting held a week ago in Doylestown, and when the smoke of battle had cleared away they found themselves without a County Chairman.

Thursday night the committee met again to officially elect a chairman and to elect another member of the executive committee, but final action was postponed until next Tuesday night.

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COMING EVENTS

Organizations whose announcements are printed in this column can reciprocate by having all printing in connection with announced events done by the publishers of this paper.

Sept. 20—Card party in Robert W. Bracken Post Home sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary at 8.20 p. m.

Sept. 21—Card party by Ladies' Auxiliary of Croydon Manor Boy Scout Troop No. 1, in Croydon fire station.

Sept. 22—Luncheon, fashion show, bridge, at Evergreen Casino, Welsh Road and Boulevard under auspices of Torresdale-Andalusia Branch of

Sept. 24—Card party at home of Mrs. Reed Ewing, Cornwells Heights, benefit of Camp 313, P. O. of A., at 8 p. m. Needlework Guild.

Sept. 25—Card party by Ladies' Auxiliary in Schumacher Post home of the V. F. W., Croydon.

Sept. 28—Card party in Davis Hall, Emille, 8.30 p. m., benefit of Emille Community Club.

Oct. 13—Annual harvest home supper at Tullytown M. E. Church, 5 to 8 p. m.

Oct. 23—Card party in Newportville Fire Co. station, benefit of Ladies' Aid of Newport Road Chapel.

Arrest Three Youths  
At Newtown for Thefts

Two Newtown young men and a Woodbourne youth, who, police charge, thought they got away with the theft of a lawn mower, were surprised when the Pennsylvania Motor Police picked them up for two crimes involving the theft of a lawn mower and office equipment.

Francis Mulholland, 17, Joseph Binkley, 19, and Norman Shubert, 19, all of Newtown, were arrested by Corporal William F. Herman, of the Doylestown sub-station of the Penna. Motor Police, charged with having stolen a lawn mower from Dr. R. L. Buckner, of Upper Makefield township, July 26.

While the police were investigating the crime, which involved the three Newtown youths, Arthur Ahlum, 19, of Woodbourne; Binkley and Mulholland, are alleged to have stolen a typewriter and check protector from an office building owned by Blaine Patterson in Woodbourne, August 1.

Completing the series of investigations, Corporal Herman and Trooper Felix R. Gowan arrested the trio of four boys charging them with felonious entry and robbery.

According to the police, Mulholland and Binkley were involved in both robberies.

The lawn mower, valued at \$90, has been restored to Dr. Buckner, and the typewriter and check protector, valued at \$150, have also been recovered by the police.

The defendants, with the exception of Mulholland, who is in the County Prison, were released on bail following a hearing before Justice of the Peace W. Carlisle Hobensack. They were held for the next term of criminal court.

"When they weren't caught for the stealing of the lawn mower, they became brave and committed another robbery, never realizing that the police knew about the first crime and the second all the time," said Trooper Gowan.

Miscellaneous Shower  
Of Gifts Is Staged

A surprise miscellaneous shower was tendered to Mrs. Alexander Liszewski, Emille, Thursday evening, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Daniels, 559 Bath street.

A large white umbrella tied with huge bows and streamers was arranged in the center of the room. A gift was tied to the end of each streamer.

Games were played and later refreshments were served to the Misses Mildred Smith, Elizabeth Daniels, Verna Milnor, Millie Farina, Elizabeth Fuoco, Jennie Slater, Mary Alta, Tillie Nicol, Bertha Emanuel, Mrs. James Daniels, Mrs. Anna Moran, Mrs. K. McGee, Mrs. William Brady, Mrs. I. Froet, Mrs. J. Missera, Mrs. R. Fehn, Mrs. H. Boyd.

TRAVEL CLUB TO BEGIN  
SEASON ON FRIDAY

Will Open Fall and Winter  
Meetings With A  
Luncheon

OFFICERS AS HOSTESSES

The Travel Club will get its Fall and Winter program of meetings underway on Friday, when the annual luncheon is served. The committee in charge of this annual function is headed by Mrs. Clarence S. Moyer, and the program will consist of readings by Mrs. Lewis R. Dick, Philadelphia, and musical selections. The officers of the club will be hostesses.

The programs for the year are varied, and excellent speakers have been scheduled for many of the Friday afternoon bi-weekly meetings.

The regular sessions at three o'clock, will be started on Friday, October 8th, when current events will be discussed by Dr. D. Montfort Melchior. The program of the day will be in charge of Miss Frances H. Landreth, with Mrs.

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RELIEF LOAD DECREASES  
FIRST TIME IN 5 WEEKS

294 Cases Listed at the End of  
Last Week; 1152 Persons  
Included

TEN CASES ARE NEW

For the first time in five weeks, the relief load of Bucks County showed a decrease last week. This is reported by Leona S. Berton, executive director of the Bucks County Emergency Relief Board.

At the end of the week, according to statistics prepared by Regional Division of Research and Statistics of Region Two, there were 294 cases, comprising 1,152 persons, carried on the rolls as compared with a total of 306 cases or 1,205 persons at the end of the previous week. This netted a weekly drop of 12 cases or 53 individuals.

An analysis of the total expenditures for direct relief grants showed that \$2,512.50 was expended for this purpose during the last week in August.

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New Auxiliary Head?



Mrs. A. H. Hoffman, of Des Moines, Iowa, is pictured at headquarters in New York after her arrival for the convention of the American Legion auxiliary, held in conjunction with the national convention of the Legion proper. Mrs. Hoffman would succeed Mrs. Oscar Hahn as head of the auxiliary.

CORNWELLS HTS. MISS  
IS TO BE WED TODAY

Miss Dorothy Lippincott Will  
Be the Bride of Raymond  
Varney; Church Ceremony

AUTO TRIP IS PLANNED

EDDINGTON, Sept. 18.—Miss Dorothy M. Lippincott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin T. Lippincott, Kings avenue, Cornwells Heights, and Raymond Varney, 3508 Rhawn street, Holmesburg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Varney, will be united in marriage in Eddington Presbyterian Church here at 4.30 this afternoon. The Rev. Arthur D. Sarkis, pastor of the church, will officiate.

The bride will be given in marriage by her father, Lewis Carr, Holmesburg, will be best man. Mrs. Melvin R. Yeagle, Cornwells Heights, is to be matron of honor; the Misses Dorothea Hart, Philadelphia, and Eleanor Mason, Atlantic City, N. J., bridesmaids; and Georgia May White, flower girl. The ushers will be Melvin R. Yeagle, Cornwells Heights; and Edward T. Robinson, Holmesburg.

The bride will be attired in a form-fitting gown of white satin and lace, the gown featuring a long train. The

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Classes Being Formed  
For Photography School

BRIDGEWATER, Sept. 18.—Classes are now being formed for the second annual photography school which will open October 5th and continue throughout the winter, according to a statement by E. MacWright, director, who will conduct the classes under a grant made by WPA for the school. The school is a project in the educational department.

MacWright, who has had 22 years' experience in the field of photography, urges those interested in this field to enroll now. "Such an opportunity, without cost to the person participating, is an opportunity not to be overlooked," MacWright stated.

Last year many different classes were organized. Elementary work as well as advanced work was given. When the school opens this year there will be classes given for amateurs as well as advanced classes. Complete organization will take place on October 5, 6, 7, and 8th.

The school will be held at the MacWright residence on Bridgewater Road, just off of Bristol Pike. Those interested are advised to enroll now for the classes. Besides the regular classes held in the evening MacWright also plans several field trips later in the season. On these trips it will be possible to get actual pictures under the guidance of the director.

SUPPER IS SERVED

A spaghetti supper was served at the home of Miss Fannie Parel, Trenton avenue and Harrison street, Thursday evening, to Miss Parel's co-workers from the Wilson Distilling Company. Guests were: the Misses Helen Kershaw, Garnetta Herman, Roberta Cook, Margaret Waters, Jessie Brown, Marita Scharf, Anita Werline, Blanche Alborizio, Helen Lebo.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Rose Nocito, 219 Franklin street, was honored Wednesday evening on her 47th birthday anniversary, when her son and daughter tendered her a party. Seventeen guests enjoyed music, specialty numbers and refreshments.

DONATE FOOD FROM  
BOOTH FESTIVAL TO  
MISSION IN PHILA.

Members, Bristol Group of  
Epworth Leagues, Hear  
Rev. Levitt Speak

PICTURES ARE SHOWN

Scottsville League Given First  
Honors for Booth;  
Yardley Second

Three hundred pounds of sugar, large quantities of tea and rice, several bushels of potatoes, pound upon pound of coffee, many cans of soup, and scores of handkerchiefs, were the offering last evening of Epworth League members of the Bristol Group to the Fifth Street Mission, Philadelphia. The goods, used in booth displays representing various countries on the face of the globe, were presented to the mission through the Rev. M. E. Levitt, superintendent of the mission, when he spoke at the bi-monthly rally of the group in Bristol M. E. Church.

Rev. Levitt, with his co-workers, feeds 1,000 people a week at the mission, in addition to providing clothing for the hundreds of needy. Motion pictures were shown, depicting work at the mission, one scene showing 300 of the boys and girls being fitted for new shoes.

The Leaguers donated food used in the booths to needy at the mission which Rev. Levitt represents.

Nearly 200 attended the rally, with Arthur Blakely, Yardley, presiding. In the booth festival, Scottsville League was accorded first honors for its display; and Yardley second honors.

Six booths arranged about the Sunday School room represented six different portions of the globe. China, Continued on Page Four

Lemons and Oranges Are  
Raised By Yardleyite

YARDLEY, Sept. 18.—Mrs. Ella Smith, Reading avenue, has attained the unusual feat of raising an orange tree and a lemon tree in her home. There are two large ripe oranges with five smaller ones set on the tree, and there are two lemons on the lemon tree.

Although Mrs. Smith has had the trees for about two years, and they have blossomed many times, this is the first time that any fruit has been produced.

Miss Mary Mastriani Is  
Bride of N. DiBlassio

The wedding of Miss Mary Mastriani, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mastriani, 443 Cedar street, and Nicholas DiBlassio, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph DiBlassio, 345 Penn street, took place this morning at 9.30 o'clock in St. Ann's Catholic Church, with nuptial mass. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Peter Pinci.

The choir of the church sang, accompanied by Miss Frances Tamburella, organist. The church was decorated with palms.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, and her attendants were: maid of honor, Miss Mary Spezzano, Pond street; bridesmaids, Miss Mary Esposito, Penn street, Miss Carmella Capella, Elm street; Miss Lena Evord, Downingtown, and Miss Mary DiAngelo, Dorrance street. Frederick Venero, Mill street, was best man, and the escorts to the bridesmaids were Salvatore Testa, Anthony DiBlassio and Samuel Mastriani. The ushers were Dominick DiBlassio and Frank Esposito.

The bride was gowned in white satin, fashioned on princess lines, with long train. The bodice featured a V-shape neckline with long sleeves, puffed at the shoulders, and tight fitting to the wrist, with a point to finger tips. The bridal veil of white net was madonna shape with cluster of pearls in front. The face veil, knee length, ended in a point. She wore white patent leather sandals and carried an arm bouquet of gardenias and bouvardia.

The maid of honor and bridesmaids were gowned alike in yellow taffeta, fashioned on princess lines. The brides featured V-shape necks and short puffed sleeves, with taffeta girdles of aqua, and other trimmings of aqua. Each attendant wore yellow patent kid slippers with hats of yellow taffeta, bonnet effect, and trimmed with aqua. They carried arm bouquets of yellow chrysanthemums.

A reception will be held this evening at Mutual Aid Hall, with 700 guests attending. Previous to the reception, a dinner for the bridal party will be given at Palumbo's Cafe, Philadelphia.

The couple will leave this evening for a two weeks' trip to Niagara Falls, N. Y.; and Providence, R. I. Upon their return they will reside with the bride's parents, 443 Cedar street.

The bride travelled in a black tailored suit, with black and white accessories.

STUDIES BEAUTY CULTURE

Miss Pearl Smith, Spruce street, is attending a beauty culture school in Philadelphia. Miss Smith started her studies on Monday.



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## WARNING

The picture presented this summer by the high plains of the West is far more cheerful than that of a year ago. At that time crops were all but a total failure, the despairing inhabitants existed only by aid of Government subsidies, and decline of the whole region to the condition of desert was predicted. This summer better than average crops have been generally harvested. The plains have regained a right to their proud title, "The bread basket of the nation," and the plains farmers are collecting a goodly share of the nation's \$10,000,000,000 agricultural income.

This is a matter for rejoicing, but it should also be an incentive to caution. The year 1937 is probably not a normal year, as western farmers would like to believe; it is abnormally good. There has been a fair amount of rain whereas, it should be remembered, dry years are of as frequent occurrence, than wet ones. And it should be remembered that years like this in the past are exactly what caused the dry ones to be ignored, inspired extreme and irrational optimism, and led to the overexploitation which rendered the dry years so tragic in their effects.

While the plains are to be congratulated on this good year, therefore, the important thing is that they should not accept it too sanguinely, but should proceed vigorously with measures of conservation and regulation to insure that there never will be another year like the last.

Such measures are already thoroughly planned and partly in operation. They must be pushed to completion. The nation does not wish to have its ears shocked, when the inevitable drouth recurs a few years hence, with cries of despair and the dire forecast that one-fourth of our cultivable land is doomed to become a Sahara.

## NEW ENGLAND INTEGRITY

If New England boasts that her farmers have a better record than those of any other section of the country in the repayment of loans to the Resettlement Administration, one must concede that the boast is justified. For, with the thinnest soil of all our major farming regions, New England has admittedly been assisted least by Nature in discharging the debts which all alike incurred.

It seems that in this northeastern region where not much dependence can be put on the soil, a great deal can be put on those who till it. The crops of grain and vegetables may be scanty, but the men who struggle to raise them, perhaps just because of the difficulty of their task, are a race of exceptional frugality, independence and integrity. They are the kind who nearly always manage to get along and, despite the vicissitudes which everywhere beset men on the land, to finish any series of years with a little something ahead. Though forced to borrow at times, in the long run they pay off. They have no need for a gift, and would disdain to accept one.

Farming on New England's stony acres is still, as it has always been, a brilliant success in the production of farmers.

But so many people think social justice consists in getting \$10 for a \$1 job.

This generation has produced only a few great actors, and they are called statesmen.

## DR. H. E. HAND WILL BE AT CONFERENCE HERE

To Conduct Quarterly Meeting In Harriman Methodist Church, Sunday

### SERVICES OF CHURCHES

#### Harriman M. E. Church

Announcements for week beginning Sunday, September 19th:

Sunday, 10 a. m., regular session of Sunday School. All pupils are reminded that if they desire pins for year attendance their attendance record will begin in October; Sunday morning worship, 11, sermon, "The Fig Tree Withered" (Mk. 11:20); Sunday, three p. m., annual meeting of fourth quarterly conference, all members asked to be present, the Rev. Dr. Howard E. Hand will preside; 7:45, evening worship, sermon, "What went ye out . . . to see?" (Mt. 11:7).

Friday evening, 7:30 p. m. to 8:30 p. m., weekly prayer meeting hour, continuing studies in the Lord's Prayer; special, Friday evening beginning, 8:30, the Ladies' Aid is conducting a "Poverty Social." Everyone welcome. Adults will be taxed by the assessors for the luxuries they wear.

#### First Baptist Church

Sunday School, 10 a. m., John D. Weil, superintendent; morning worship, 11, the Rev. Howard L. Zepp, pastor; evening worship in the Presbyterian Church, eight, topics will be: a. m., "Faith"; p. m., "Works."

#### Bristol M. E. Church

The Rev. Norman L. Davidson, minister; 9:45 a. m., the Church at School; 10:50 a. m., divine worship, sermon, "God's Burden," seven p. m., young people's meeting in Bristol Presbyterian Church; eight p. m., community service in Bristol Presbyterian

Church, the Rev. Howard L. Zepp, preacher.

7:45 p. m., Wednesday, regular mid-week services will begin. Those who attend will select the portion of the Bible to be studied this Fall.

#### St. James's P. E. Church

Services for Sunday: 8 a. m., Holy Communion; 9:30, Church School; 10:45, morning prayer and sermon; 8 p. m., union service at Bristol Presbyterian Church.

A regular meeting of the Vestry will be held on Monday evening at eight in the parish house; Tuesday evening at eight, initial rehearsal for the pageant "St. James's passes in Review," to be given at the anniversary celebration on September 20th, all participants are asked to be present.

#### Bristol Presbyterian Church

The services in Bristol Presbyterian Church on the Sabbath will be as follows: 9:45 a. m., Church School under direction of Dr. John J. Hargrave, superintendent; 10 a. m., Men's Bible Class, taught by the Rev. James R. Gailey; 11, morning worship service, sermon by the Rev. Joseph Taylor Britan, chaplain of the Presbyterian Hospital, Philadelphia. His subject will be "The Healing Work of the Church."

Seven p. m., Union Young People's service, leaders, Elwyn Neitzel and P. Herman, subject, "The Highway of Friendship," eight p. m., Union Worship service, sermon by the Rev. Howard L. Zepp, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

The Presbyterian Guild will meet on Monday evening at eight o'clock in the church.

## Travel Club To Begin Season On Friday

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Emil Metzger and Mrs. Thomas Scotti are hosts.

A reception will be tendered the

Junior Travel Club on October 22nd at eight o'clock in the evening. Don Rose will be present, and Mrs. Franklin Wallin will take charge of the numbers. Music will be included. The hostesses on this occasion will be Mrs. Edwin Hey and Mrs. Alfred E. Doty.

Other meetings of the season will be as follows: November 5th, business and address by Richard R. Wood, "A Calm View of a Crazy World," program in charge of Mrs. William Duffell; hostesses, Mrs. Richard D. Myers and Mrs. Robert C. Ruch; November 19th, an afternoon of music, in charge of Mrs. George Wiedeman; hostesses, Mrs. Doron Green and Mrs. Keith M. Rosser; December 3rd, business, book reviews in charge of Mrs. George E. Boswell, hostesses, Mrs. Griffith L. Williams and Mrs. Carl Wenzel; December 17th, "The Role of Stained Glass in Art," Frederick E. Mayer, of the D'Ascenzo Studios, in charge of Mrs. John J. Williams, tea hostesses being Mrs. Serrill Douglass and Miss Mary J. Haines.

Christmas party will be on December 31st in charge of Mrs. Roy Tracy, readings to be given by Miss Mary Myers. There will be music and tea. Those named as hostesses are Mrs. James R. LaRue and Mrs. Harold W. Thompson.

January 14th, current events, Dr. D. Montfort Melchior, with Mrs. Ernest Lawrence, Jr., presiding at the program period, hostesses, Mrs. Joseph McCarron and Mrs. Elwood P. Goslin; January 28th, past president's day, in charge of Mrs. Frank Lehman and Mrs. Theodore B. Megarke, tea, with Mrs. Walter A. Faxon and Mrs. Joseph B. Smith as hostesses; February 11th, education, with Mrs. David L. Herzler rounding out the program, and Mrs. William Duffell and Mrs. Harry Pope as hostesses; February 25th, "Landing Fields," Mrs. Samuel Thompson Graham, with numbers outlined by Mrs. Lester D. Thorne, music and tea, with Mrs. John A. Moyer and Mrs. Milton E. Glessner as hostesses; March 11th, food exchange at two p. m.

business and music followed by program on "Home and Citizenship," in charge of Mrs. Horace H. Burton. Hostesses will be Mrs. Albert M. Dowden and Mrs. V. V. Vanzant.

March 25th, "Romance of the Bees," Dr. Edward E. Wildman, in charge of Mrs. Armand V. Morris, tea, with Mrs. Mulford L. Callanan and Mrs. E. Linton Martin as hostesses; April 8th, current events, Dr. D. Montfort Melchior, with program arranged by Mrs. Elwood P. Goslin, hostesses being Mrs. William H. H. Fine and Mrs. Edward J. Fleming; April 22nd, eight p. m., annual play, in charge of drama committee, Mrs. Parke M. Wetherill as chairman; May 6th, conservation and garden day, Mrs. Walter W. Pitzonka in charge, with tea being served, hostesses to be Mrs. George J. Irwin and Mrs. Charles H. Peet.

A visit to colonial houses in old Bucks County will be made on May 20th, the date for the annual outing. This will start at 10 a. m., with Mrs. Paul V. Forster, Mrs. James R. LaRue and Mrs. J. Fred Wagner in charge of arrangements. On the third of June at one p. m., a box luncheon will precede the Spring flower show. This will also be the occasion for the annual meeting. Hostesses named are Mrs. Clarence S. Moyer and Mrs. John J. Willaman.

## CROYDON

Mrs. Anna Clark was buried in St. Mark's Cemetery, Bristol, Wednesday morning, after high mass in St. Thomas' Church. Three cars carried the numerous floral designs, and her grandchildren were pall-bearers.

Raymond Schweiler celebrated his 18th birthday, Wednesday, and in the evening entertained friends from Croydon. Games were enjoyed, and ice cream and cake served.

Mrs. Herman Wilcox, who has been ill, is now enjoying a vacation at her daughter's home in Hightstown, N. J. The Ushers' Association, after business session, enjoyed a delightful evening.

## THIS DATE IN NEWS OF PAST

Saturday, September 18

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75 Years Ago Today—First regular Overland stage coach reached Denver from San Francisco.

1793—Cornerstone of original U. S. Capitol in Washington was laid.

1906—Greta Gustafsson—Garbo to you—was born.

1926—372 killed, 6,281 injured, 5,000 homes destroyed, \$80,000,000 damage done, in Florida hurricane. Two years later, almost to the day, another disastrous hurricane swept the same territory.

1934—Russia was admitted to League of Nations.

ning at Wilkinson Memorial M. E. Pennsylvania avenue.

Church, Tuesday. Supper was served. William Gray, Sr., is suffering from a broken arm, received while at work. Harry Kershaw is ill at his home on

## Behind the Scenes in HOLLYWOOD

By HARRISON CARROLL

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HOLLYWOOD—Lights!

Camera! Action!

On the first day of her new picture, "Mannequin," Joan Crawford is standing under a broiling sun, waiting for her cue to go before the camera.

The scene is a block in New York's ghetto and it is full of pushcarts and extras who look like they might be residents of Hester street.

Joan hates outdoor shots because she says she always squints.

This morning she is in a very good mood, however, because she is starting a picture under Director Frank Borzage. Years ago when she was an extra, Joan made a test under Borzage for the Janet Gaynor role in "Seventh Heaven." She didn't get the part, but she has liked the director since that time.

Despite the fact that it is the first day of the picture, his presence keeps her from being nervous.

Joan remembers those extra days, too, and is very pleasant to the "atmosphere people" on the set.

She is, in fact, more interested in them than they appear to be in her.

Especially a little girl, about 13, who has long auburn curls.

The star is fascinated by the youngster's hair. She goes over and touches it with the tips of her fingers.

"How does your mother curl it?" she asks.

"On sticks," replies the little girl.

Joan asks her name and you witness a moment of real drama when the youngster replies:

"I'm Kathleen O'Malley. Maybe you know my dad. His name is Pat O'Malley."

At Universal, Alice Faye is spending her honeymoon working in the picture, "Young Man's Fancy."

This particular scene is Holly-

wood's idea of a star's dressing room on Broadway. It is all quilted satin, large mirrors and thick-napped rugs. No actress ever had a dressing room like it, but the studio figures that the bare walls of the real thing would be too commonplace. Hollywood's business is to add a touch of glamor to reality.

Director David Butler is getting ready to do a scene between Alice and George Murphy, who is her sweetheart in the picture.

It is a hot day in the valley and the Universal sound stage is not air-conditioned. All the actors have to make frequent repairs to their makeups.

Alice has a special man to take care of her. He is Buddy Westmore, who has just been sued for divorce by Martha Raye.

There is a touch of irony in watching him get Alice ready for the scene.

The disillusioned Hollywood husband making up a new bride for a rendezvous with her screen lover, who is happily married to somebody else.

With a baseball cap perched on his head, Director Sam Wood is telling a group of U. S. C. and U. C. L. A. football players how to do a scene in which they are supposed to be members of the plebe gridiron squad at Annapolis.

They haven't any lines to speak. All they have to do is to come in off the field, gather in a circle and listen to talks by the coach, Don Douglas, and by Lionel Barrymore.

But when they come loping in, Wood stops the scene.

"You fellows are too dry, he says. 'You don't look like you have been playing football to me.'"

So the husky footballers have to go back and get their heads doused in water and their uniforms soaked in strategic places.

When you see them in "Navy Blue and Gold," you'll think they have been practicing for hours.

## "THE SILVER ROOD MYSTERY"

by Lewis Allen Browne

### CHAPTER XXII

"There is no need of this antagonism until we hear Mr. Griswold's story," I said to Foxcroft, trying to make it sound casual.

"I do not feel that I am antagonized, gentlemen," Griswold explained, "I realize that I am under grave suspicion. However, anyone knowing my love for Miss Montith should know that I would not harm her uncle, who had been a father to her from girlhood and whom she loved devotedly."

"Millions of dollars would have been lost to Miss Montith if her uncle had lived and she had married you," Harper said, patiently.

Foxcroft became sullen and stared out of the window, but I knew that he wasn't missing a syllable.

"That is why I am under suspicion. The facts are, however, that I did not see Mr. Montith, that I got no further than the reception hall."

"Why?"

"I lost my courage, perhaps, and someone was stepping into the library ahead of me."

Foxcroft turned and stared at him, at this.

"Who was he?"

"A woman, a maid—from her uniform. I don't believe I had seen her before. She was rather tall and had noticeably blonde hair."

Harper gave me a quick glance. I nodded, slightly. He evidently saw Nola Morin, if he was telling the truth.

"You had been ordered off the grounds—why should you go into the house?" Harper asked.

"After my brief talk with Miss Montith, in the lower garden, she started back for the party on Major Forrest's grounds. I decided that it would be more manly of me to go to Mr. Montith alone and plead with him—tell him honestly that it was my intention to marry Miss Montith and that we wanted his friendship, if possible. It was then that I had two other positions in view. I could support a wife, and if he saw fit to disinherit her, I had Miss Montith's word that it would not deter her."

"And you say you didn't get beyond the reception hall?"

"That is it. I saw this woman, evidently a maid, going into the library—at least into a door from the hall. From what I have heard since, the woman I saw was the maid who says she went in to ask for a raise in salary and found Mr. Montith asleep."

"How did you know that?" Foxcroft asked.

"Miss Montith told me—as she has told me about the professor and the missing painting."

"So you turned around and walked out again?"

"I did. I drove to the village, had something to eat and came back by appointment to meet Miss Montith that evening. I heard of the murder while in South Cove and realized at once that I was in a serious position."

Foxcroft granted again.

"Did Miss Montith also go in the house?" I asked.

"No. She went back to the garden party."

"Did she know that you intended to see her uncle?"

"I did not tell her. There was no need to worry her. If I failed, we would be as were then. If I managed to talk to Mr. Montith into regarding our intentions with a little more kindness, it would be well worth while risking his anger again."

"What is your opinion—I mean, as to who killed Mr. Montith?" I asked.

"There are so many puzzling phases, the murder of the gardener—"

"Who said he was murdered? It

was suicide," Foxcroft cried, and I could see that he believed he had trapped Griswold.

"Miss Montith told me. She said that you gentlemen—the authorities, she put it—wanted it believed to be a suicide. The Professor Lardeau and the missing painting present another angle. It seems that this maid is equally under suspicion with myself."

"You admit yourself to be under suspicion, then?"

Foxcroft's sarcasm was cutting. Griswold did not seem to be disturbed.

"Indeed, yes. What is more," Griswold became suddenly grave, "I have no means of fully clearing myself until the guilty party is found."

There was a little silence.

"Well—I don't see how we can do anything other than hold you," Foxcroft stood up, as though ending the talk.

"Arrest me, on suspicion?"

"Naturally. You had a big motive, you were in the house, and you had been ordered to keep away. There was a quarrel—"

"Now you are guessing, Mr. Foxcroft, and guessing badly. I did not see Mr. Montith that afternoon."

"I cannot, of course."

"Then—"

A rather loud knocking at the door to this inner office startled us.

Foxcroft crossed the room and opened the door a crack, just enough to peer out. I could see that he was surprised.

"Why Mary, what—"

"I have learned something you ought to know, Wally."

I recognized Mary's voice.

"Well, of course I want to know what it is, but won't you wait out there?"

Mary pushed the door open a little wider and I recognized the girl with her. It was Belle Jackson, the maid whose duty it was to clean down stairs.

"No. It has something to do with Howard."

"Very well."

Foxcroft started to step into his outer office. Mary looked in, smiled at Griswold and said, "I want Mr. Stevenson to hear this, too."

Foxcroft hesitated. In even the rather poor light at the door I could see his face turn red. He nodded to me and I went out with them.

"This is Jackson—one of the down-stairs maids. She was standing at the far end of the reception hall, you remember, setting the bird cage back out of the hot sun, when she saw Morin enter the library."

"Yes—I remember," I said, "and Morin admitted going in there."

"Explain it, Jackson," Mary ordered.

"I also saw a man stepping into the reception hall from the outer hall, or just about to do that, I guess. Anyway he seemed to see Morin, for he hesitated and then went out."

"You didn't say that when you were first questioned," Foxcroft said, accusingly.

"I know it. I was so surprised to see Morin going softly into the library—and later so shocked over what we learned had happened—that I guess I was terribly rattled."

"What made you remember it?"

"Miss Mary began to question me a while ago—she asked all about how Morin looked and acted when she crossed the hall and went into the library—and she asked me if Briggs came back for her clothes that day, and told me why. That reminded me."

"Explain?"

Foxcroft didn't believe a word of this, I could see.

"Explain what?"

The maid, Jackson, seemed to be greatly embarrassed and kept looking at Mary. This wasn't lost to Foxcroft. He believed that it was

something Mary was trying to frame to help Griswold. It was easy enough to see that Jackson was going to say the man she saw was Griswold.

"What did Miss Montith explain to you about the former maid, Briggs?"

"She said Briggs had written that she saw Mr. Griswold leaving the house. That reminded me of what I had seen. When I told her, she brought me hers."

"Humph!"

Mary Montith regarded Foxcroft with a glance of reproach.

"Wally," she said, "if I know that Howard is innocent, but if—and it is impossible—but if not, I want to know it. It is evident that Briggs wrote the truth to Mr. Stevenson, that she did see Howard leave the house."

"Do you know Mr. Griswold?" I asked Jackson.

"I have seen him a few times—out on the grounds with Miss Mary."

"Did you get enough of a glimpse of this man who stepped into the hall and out again to recognize him?"

"Yes sir. It was Mr. Griswold. He had on a very light gray suit. The girl hesitated. 'We, Mrs. Thompson of the laundry, and I, spoke of it. We said that Miss Mary's young man was meeting her again.'"

I opened the door to the other office and said, "Let's all come in here. Let me ask a few questions first."

"Nonsense—it's—it's farcical," Foxcroft objected.

But I insisted.

"Mr. Griswold," I said, "is this the maid you saw entering the library door?"

He shook his head emphatically.

"Oh no—no indeed. This maid was much taller, she had very yellow hair. This girl isn't at all like her."

"And what else did you see, when you stepped in, saw the tall blonde maid and then stepped out again?"

"I didn't notice much—there was a large window at the far end of the big hall, and a woman was moving a bird cage on a stand. That was when I decided that I couldn't see Mr. Montith alone, and went out."

"I'll be hanged!" Harper said, explosively.

"Miss Jackson, here," I said to Harper, "saw Mr. Griswold step into the hall, and then step out again."

"I gathered as much."

"All this doesn't change the situation in the least, Mary. I have my sworn duty to perform—"

"If you arrest Howard, you may also arrest me, I shall insist."



## In a Personal Way

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people  
You know. A chronicle of the activities of the  
people of Bristol; their goings and comings.

### Events for Tonight

Card party in K. of C. home, for  
Catholic Daughters of America.

### MISS DUFFY IS PATIENT

Miss Mary Ann Duffy, Walnut street,  
is a patient in the Presbyterian Hos-  
pital, Philadelphia, under observa-  
tion.

### HERE AS VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Seese and Mr.  
and Mrs. Jack Coyle and sons Harry  
and Jack, Philadelphia, were Sunday  
guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Borchers,  
1801 Farragut avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund H. Berry and  
family, Willow Grove, spent Sunday  
with Mrs. M. Heaton, 423 Washington  
street.

Miss Evelyn Giles, Summerville,  
Mass., returned to her home on Wed-  
nesday after spending several weeks  
with Mr. and Mrs. William Nichol, 116  
Wood street.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Goslin, Belmar,  
N. J., were Tuesday guests of Mrs.  
Flora Bliger, Market street.

### PAY CALLS AND VISITS

Mrs. Ellen McCarry and grand-  
daughter Mary Ferry, Spruce street,  
spent the past few days in Langhorne  
visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ferry.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hampton and  
son Earl, Buckley street, and Miss  
Mabel Goodwin, Bath street, were  
Sunday visitors of Mrs. Eliza Bartel,  
Titusville, N. J.

Miss Alice Burns, Jefferson avenue,  
attended a dinner and shower Tues-  
day evening given for Miss Freda Al-  
brecht, Philadelphia. Miss Burns was  
an overnight guest of Miss Mary  
Mackay.

### ATTEND A FUNERAL

Mrs. C. Cocordas, Mill street, and  
Mrs. Gus Sullas, Market street, attend-  
ed the funeral of a friend in Phila-  
delphia, this week.

### STUDIES DENTISTRY

Harry Bauroth, Jackson street, a  
graduate of Bristol high school, class  
of 1937, left Monday for Hamilton, N.  
Y., where he has entered Colgate Col-  
lege, to study dentistry.

### GO TO NEW JERSEY

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Force and  
Mrs. Eleanor Appleton and sons, Wil-  
liam and John, Washington street,  
spent Sunday in Atlantic City, N. J.

George Bailey, Jr., Bath Road;  
Frank Jenks, Jefferson avenue, and  
Francis Hampton, Buckley street,  
spent last week in Wildwood, N. J.

### RESUMES STUDIES

Wayne Fry, Jefferson avenue, re-  
sumed his studies Monday at the Phila-  
delphia Textile School.

### POPKINS MOVE

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Popkin have  
moved from Emille Road to 225 Lafay-  
ette street.

### SON FOR KELLETT

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Kellett, Lang-  
horne R. D., are the parents of a son,  
born this week. Mrs. Kellett was for-  
merly Miss Mildred Streep, Cedar  
street.

### ARE DELIGHTFULLY ENTERTAINED

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Worrlow  
and son Harry and daughter Jean and  
Mr. and Mrs. William Walley, Chester,  
were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs.  
Neal G. Miller, 634 Beaver street.

Miss Mary Mandeville and Miss  
Loretta Wood, Massachusetts, visited  
Miss Etta Rousseau, Penn Valley, for  
several days.

Mrs. A. E. Albrecht, Jr., Seattle,  
Wash., spent a few days as guest of  
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bauroth, Jackson  
street. Mrs. Bauroth spent a day in

### SUTTON'S OYSTER HOUSE

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Atlantic City, N. J., during the past  
week.

### GO AWAY

Miss Edna Mae Hellings, Bath Road,  
and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Betz and son,  
William, Edgely, spent a few days in  
Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Whorton, Mill street, and Mrs.  
L. Chandlerin, Cornwells Heights,  
have returned home after two weeks'  
visit in Atlantic City, N. J.

Mrs. J. G. Schaffer, Bath Road, spent  
Thursday visiting her daughter, Miss  
Marion Hellings, Frankford.

### Newtown's First-Day School Names Teachers

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The Fall meeting of the First-Day  
School Union will be held on Wed-  
nesday, September 26, at three p. m., in  
the Newtown Meeting House. At that  
time Wilhelm Hubben, director of re-  
ligious activities at George School,  
will be the speaker on the World Con-  
ference of Friends held at Swarth-  
more, to which he was a representa-  
tive.

Miss Dorothy Smith, an English  
friend, who also attended the Confer-  
ence, will be a guest of the Union at  
this meeting. An informal tea will  
present an opportunity to meet Miss  
Smith, who is director of Children's  
Work at Friends' House in London.

The first Tuesday of each month  
was decided upon for the meeting of  
the First Day Teachers and those in-  
terested in this work. The first meet-  
ing will be held on Tuesday, October  
5th.

### Relief Load Decreases First Time in Five Weeks

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This represented little variation from  
that recorded during the previous  
week. Reflecting the static condition  
of the caseload throughout the fiscal  
month of August, weekly relief ex-  
penditures remained practically the  
same for each week of this period with  
a range of less than \$100 for the en-  
tire month.

The number of cases opened for di-  
rect relief this week amounted to  
only 10, and this was somewhat small-  
er than the total registered during the  
previous week, when 17 cases were  
approved for relief. The net decrease  
in the total number of openings is  
approximately the same as the week's  
decline in the number of openings due  
to loss of employment in private in-  
dustry.

Eight boroughs and two townships  
had no cases carried on the relief rolls  
this week.

### CRAVE ENGLISH BOOKS

HELSINKI, Finland—(INS)—Eng-  
lish grammars and dictionaries are  
now best sellers in Finland, bookshop  
proprietors report, stressing the craze  
to learn the English language which is  
now sweeping the country. Over 1,000  
copies of a well-known Finnish-Eng-  
lish dictionary have been sold in the  
last two months.

### Card Party

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### GUESTS ENTERTAINED AT THE ERVIN HOME, CORNWELLS HEIGHTS

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS, Sept. 18—  
Seven guests were entertained at  
cards by Mrs. E. S. Ervin at her home  
here, on Thursday evening.

Prize winners were: Miss Mary Hel-  
sel, Mrs. Otto Terneson, Mrs. Allen  
Lebo, Sr., and Mrs. Herbert Bennett.  
Other guests were: Mrs. John Bruden,  
Mrs. Alice Patterson, Mrs. Bessie  
Campbell.

Mrs. Bennett and Mrs. Campbell  
were dinner guests at the Ervin home  
that evening.

### Cornwells Hts. Miss Is To Be Wed Today

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veil will be of tulle, and white satin  
sandals will complete the attire. She  
will carry a bouquet of white roses.

The matron of honor, Mrs. Yeagle,  
will wear a fuchsia taffeta dress trim-  
med with velvet, velvet hat to match,  
and fuchsia colored slippers. She will  
carry a bouquet of gladioli.

Miss Hart will be dressed in blue  
taffeta with trimming of dark blue  
velvet. She will wear a dark blue vel-  
vet hat and carry gladioli. Miss Mas-  
son's gown will be a dusky pink taffeta  
dress, trimmed with raspberry shade  
velvet. She will wear hat and slip-  
pers to match, and carry a bouquet of  
gladioli. The flower girl, little Georgia  
White, will be garbed in a pale pink  
taffeta dress trimmed with blue, and a  
pink poke bonnet with blue trimming.  
She will carry a nosegay.

Following the ceremony a reception  
will be held at the home of the bride's  
parents. Relatives and close friends  
will attend. After an automobile trip  
Mr. and Mrs. Varney will reside in an  
apartment at Frankford avenue and  
Unruh street, Philadelphia.

The bride is a Bensalem high school  
honors graduate. She is also a gradu-  
ate of Beaver College and Peirce Busi-  
ness School. Mr. Varney graduated  
from Frankford high school and at-  
tended the Wharton School at the Uni-  
versity of Pennsylvania. He is now  
employed by the John Hancock Insur-  
ance Company.

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many are in search of work.

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### Bumper Cotton Crop Challenges The Trade

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This would be 25.7 pounds per acre  
higher than last year, and 39.1 pounds  
higher than in 1935.

The highest average yield per acre  
in the United States was recorded in  
1898 when it was 23.1 pounds. The  
ten year average for the years 1923-  
32 was 16.9 pounds an acre.

But while a record yield per acre is  
forecast for this year's crop, the total  
production forecast is only 6.3 per cent  
above the five year average of 14,667,  
000 bales. The years used by the crop  
reporting board for this comparison  
are 1928-32.

Other than the soil improvement  
program cotton farmers operated un-  
der no governmental restrictions this  
year. This year's acreage is estimated  
at 34,192,000 acres, an increase of 10.4  
per cent over last year. Cotton men  
here say this increase in acreage was  
"substantially under what was expected  
by most of the cotton trade."

The year 1926 was the high year  
from the standpoint of acreage, when  
farmers planted 47,987,000 acres in  
cotton. From 1924 to 1931 the acre-  
age was never under 40,000,000.

Thus an examination of these fig-  
ures reveals that this year's large  
cotton crop is due to the bounty of  
an indulgent nature, an indulgence  
that has led to a demand for a govern-  
ment loan on cotton as one means of  
meeting the problem.

The average price for middling spots  
on the New Orleans cotton exchange  
last year was 12.59 cents a pound. The  
highest price recorded this year was  
11.28 cents on August 5th. Now the  
price has been under the ten-cent  
level.

Cotton farmers entered this season  
after the first billion dollar cotton  
crop since 1929. The value of last  
year's crop, including linters, was  
placed at \$892,433,054. By adding the  
value of cotton seed, Secretary Henry  
Plauche of the New Orleans Cotton  
Exchange estimates last year's cotton  
crop at \$1,113,223,054.

There were several favorable fac-  
tors in the cotton situation, for the

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season ending July 31. There was, to  
quote secretary Plauche's annual re-  
port, "a greatly improved domestic  
demand."

The government disposed of about  
1,550,000 bales of its loan cotton, re-  
ducing the amount still under federal  
control to 1,655,000 bales.

The consumption of cotton by  
United States mills reached an all-  
time high last year, amounting to  
7,798,000 bales of American grown cot-  
ton. The previous high was in 1926-27  
when 7,027,000 bales was consumed.

Commenting on the present situa-  
tion, Secretary Plauche says:

"At present, however, in the manu-  
facturing industry, conditions are  
opposite to what they were at this  
time last year. Then goods were be-  
ing bought freely and production was  
increasing from week to week. About  
April 1, 1937, there occurred an al-  
most complete cessation of cotton  
goods purchases and this condition  
practically continued to the present  
time. Unfilled orders were evidently  
very large so that the curtailment has  
been gradual. It appears therefore  
that unless there is an improvement in  
demand, operations will be reduced."

With a bumper crop on hand, the  
cotton farmer finds himself faced with  
the prospect of reduced mill consump-  
tion and a decline in exports.

### Democrats Split Over Naming County Leader

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Sept. 21, when another meeting will be  
held in the Democratic headquarters  
in the Lehman Building, East Court  
street, Doylestown.

The news article in the Perkasie

Central News published Thursday is  
as follows:

"Webster Achey, who succeeded  
John Flood as chairman several years  
ago, made an effort to bring together  
the warring factions of the party and  
as late as a fortnight ago, made an-  
other appeal for harmony. The execu-  
tive committee at that time promised  
to co-operate with the chairman and  
John Flood was named campaign man-  
ager to assist Achey in the multitudi-  
nous duty of controlling the party dur-  
ing the campaign."

"However, the promised harmony  
and cooperation was not forthcoming  
as evidenced by the manipulations of a  
faction controlled by William From-  
hagen, superintendent of State High-  
ways in Bucks county, in the selec-  
tion of a member of the executive com-  
mittee, to fill a vacancy existing in the  
middle district."

"Mr. Hancock, an oil truck driver, a  
Fromhagen follower, was elected to  
the vacancy and the 'war was on.'  
Achey resigned."

"The recently revised by-laws pro-  
vide that a vacancy in the county  
chairmanship shall be filled by the ex-  
ecutive committee which is comprised  
of twelve appointed members together  
with the two members of the State  
Committee. Fromhagen controls the  
committee and it is said that either  
Robert Benner, Perkasie, or Hancock,  
the new member of the executive com-  
mittee, both Fromhagen favorites,  
have more than an even chance of get-  
ting the chairmanship."

There is a good market for suites  
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the sale will be consummated.

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ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Archibald G. Wright, lat-  
er of the Township of Bristol, Pa., de-  
ceased.

Letters of administration having  
been granted to the undersigned, all  
persons indebted to said estate are no-  
tified to make settlement, and all hav-  
ing legal claims against same are re-  
quested to present them promptly in  
proper form for settlement to

GEORGE WRIGHT,

Administrator,

6 Edgely Avenue,

R. D. 1, Bristol, Pa.

WILLIAM H. CONCA,



## REDS HOPE TO AVENGE LAST YEAR'S DEFEAT

By Louis Tomlinson

The biggest pre-season battle on the Cardinal and Gray practice schedule is booked for today on the local school field when the annual inter-club tilt—the Red and Gray game—takes place.

Both the Red and Gray are stirred up over the fray with the natural conclusion—each predicting a win for his side. The boys have worked hard all week in preparation for the contest and are rarin' to tear into their opponents with savagery. They intend to give them the "works." And of course everybody will put everything they have into the tilt to show Coach Juenger what they can do under fire in a regular football scrimmage.

At the same time Juenger will get an eyeful of his squad for the coming season and through it will know definitely just who can do what and what are the most noticeable errors made in the contest, that which needs drilling on and ironing out. A lot depends upon how the boys show up in this game as to who may and who may not start in the Langhorne game next Friday afternoon.

## BRISTOL A. A. NINE TO PLAY AT EDDINGTON

Tomorrow, Bristol A. A. baseball club will swing into action, when it lines up against the fast-moving Philadelphia Turners at Eddington at three p. m.

Charley Whyne will work for the A. A. club, with Bowers on the receiving end. The rest of the line-up will be McDonough, Stallone, Massilla, Snyder, Broadbent, Hines, Miskio, Mellor, Laugen, Jefferies, McCue, Leighton.

The Philadelphia Turners is a good fast club and is mainly made up of Philadelphia League stars.

Last Sunday's game between Bristol A. A. and Trevoise was called off as Trevoise could not get its grounds to play on.

## LANDRETH TO PLAY FINAL GAME TOMORROW

Tomorrow afternoon the Landreth Seeds will play the final game of the season on the home grounds, here, when they will stack-up against the strong R. D. Wood nine of Florence, N. J.

The game will begin at three o'clock and will decide the series for the two teams. The rivals have met twice before, this season, and each team has won one game.

The Landreth nine has had a very successful year and it is anticipated there will be a big crowd on hand at this the farewell appearance for 1937.

## EMILIE

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis V. Cox have had as recent visitors, Mrs. Richard Stern, Miss Elsie Stern, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Fulmore, Woodbourne.

Miss Mary Randall, Mr. and Mrs. Tomlinson, Trevoise, were recent visitors of Mrs. Albert R. Randall.

Miss Amy Bard and Roy Johnson, Doylestown, were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Lovett.

Benjamin B. Praul, William Rockhill, in company with Scott Dennen, Bristol, spent Saturday fishing at Cape May, N. J.

Mrs. Benjamin B. Praul, Mrs. Leo Hibbs, Gwendolyn and "Billy" Hibbs, Lewis Praul and their guest, Miss Gertrude Kulper, Edgely, visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shivar, Mauch Chunk, Sunday.

The Emilie Community Club met at the home of Miss Lillie Wilson. The club will sponsor a card party at Davis Hall, September 28th. Mr. and Mrs. Alex Liszewski, newlyweds, received several gifts from the members present.

Mrs. T. Elias Praul and Miss Lillie Wilson were recent visitors of Mrs. Albert R. Randall at St. Francis Hospital, Trenton, N. J., where she is under observation.

The Rev. and Mrs. William C. Boyer had as recent visitors, Mrs. Dyer, Miss Alice Dyer and Keith Dyer, Landisville; Mr. and Mrs. William Nixon, Frankford; Mrs. Thompson McKinney, Mrs. Lewbold and Mr. Minnick, Fox Chase; Miss Emma Allison, Mrs. Kopp and Furman Saure, Germantown. The Boyers were given a farewell dinner Tuesday evening in the supper room of Emilie M. E. Church. Gifts of money were presented to them for their missionary work in Africa. They left Wednesday for Atlantic City, N. J., where they will spend a week with Mr. Boyer's mother.

Miss Helen Booz, in company with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Simon, Bath Addington, and Leslie Cramer, Harbortown, enjoyed a trip recently to West Point, Wenona Falls, and Bushkill Falls.

## HULMEVILLE

American Legion Auxiliary of Jesse W. Soby Post will meet in the Memorial House, Langhorne, Monday evening at eight o'clock.

Miss Mary Thompson will entertain members of her club on Tuesday evening.

## BENSALEM TOWNSHIP

Walter Colville, Bridgewater, has accepted a position with the Brown Oil Co., Eddington.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace States, Cornwells Heights, were visitors at the home of Mrs. States' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grow, Bristol, on Wednesday evening.

A meeting will be held Thursday evening in the parish house at Christ Church, Eddington, when plans for the

annual chicken supper will be made. Members of the congregation and friends are expected to be present to set the date and make other arrangements for the affair. The supper will probably be held in November.

The Rev. and Mrs. Thomas L. Ridout, St. Andrew's Church, Mt. Holly, N. J., were visitors of the Rev. and Mrs. Arthur F. Gibson, Eddington, this week.

Mrs. Frank Donhart and sons, Henry and Joseph, all formerly of Eddington, visited friends here recently. Mrs. Donhart and Joseph now reside in Camden. Henry has returned to Eddington, Pa., where he teaches school.

## Legion Cadets To Enter Competition at New York

Legion Cadets are participating this afternoon in a parade at Norristown and will leave early Monday morning for New York, where they will take part in the national competition and also parade in the monster Legion parade, a feature of the national convention of the American Legion.

The Cadets will leave Bristol Monday morning at five o'clock in two chartered buses and are scheduled to arrive in New York at nine o'clock. They will go to the Lewisohn Stadium, 138th street and Convent avenue, where the national competition will be held. Thirty corps are entered in this competition which is to be the first held by the Legion. The Bristol group will consist of 66 members. The prize is \$200 and the honor of being National champions.

The Cadets will have their headquarters at the 6th Regiment Armory, 26th street and Lexington avenue.

Tuesday the Cadets will head the 9th District of Pennsylvania group in the mammoth parade. The parade is scheduled to get under way at nine o'clock Tuesday morning but the Bristol group will not fall into line until three o'clock in the afternoon.

They will return to Bristol late Tuesday evening.

## Fisk Jubilee Singers Are Attraction at Langhorne

LANGHORNE, Sept. 18 — With the Fisk Jubilee Singers, of Fisk University, Nashville, Tenn., as the attraction, the Friends Meeting House here was filled to capacity last evening.

This group, pre-eminent in the field of Negro ensemble singing, and which has travelled throughout Europe and America, was accorded a great ovation by the group of music lovers in attendance.

The selections on last evening's program, were inclusive of: "Live a-Humble," "Chilly Waters," "Standing With My Sword," "I Want to Die Easy," "The Old Ark," spirituals; "The Lord's Prayer" (Percy-Kraft), "Passing By" (Percy), "It's Oh! To Be A Wild Wind" (Elgar), "A Star" (Rogers).

Nocturne (Chopin), and Etude, Op. 12-No. 10 (Chopin), Linton Berrien, "Solve Amiche" (Caldara), "Caanzone, etta Italiana" (Eighteenth Century), Leonard Franklin; "John the Revelator," "Little David," "I Want Two Wings," "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot," spirituals.

The group of colored students from Fisk was under direction of Mrs. James A. Myers, the group including: Leonard Franklin, Arthur Bostic, Carl Oswald Lampkin, Herbert Rutherford, Weems, William Collier.

## TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE

Richland—Dev. of A. Jacob Benner to Lamar Hager, lot, \$1200.

Bristol twp.—Sarah E. Marsh Peters to John Newhouse et ux, lots.

Middletown—Bertha M. Bacher to Allan W. Smith, 4.9-10 acres.

Bristol twp.—Anna Grupp to John T. Power et ux, lots.

Bristol twp.—John T. Power et ux, to Anna Grupp, lots, \$400.

Bristol twp.—Ira C. Brown et ux to Abelardo Gonzalez et ux.

Doylestown—Walter Barber to Henry A. Bauman, 45.581 acres.

Warminster—Barclay B. & L. Assn. to J. Willis Atkinson et ux, lot.

Bristol twp.—Dev. of Joseph S. Schweiker to Joseph S. Schweiker, lot.

New Hope—Frances C. Manning et vir to Charles E. Smith et ux, lot.

New Hope—Frances C. Manning et vir to Hugh E. Smith et ux, lot.

Richland—John F. Krauss et ux to Anna M. Sweigert, 35 acres, 31 perches.

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Sellersville—Joseph S. Drissel et ux to Anna M. Sweigert, lot.

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Doylestown—Mary A. Holland to James D. Rufe et ux, lot, \$4500.

Warrington—Joseph Harness to William P. Ruland et ux, 3 acres, \$5350.

Northampton—Exr. of Hiram S. McCool to Harry E. Benner, 3.712 acres.

Hulmeville—Dev. of Franz Schoenfeld to Adolph Schoenfeld et ux, lot, \$1500.

Newtown twp.—Francis McGarry to Jacob M. Ewing, lot.

Bristol—Dev. of Catharine F. Fyman to Mazzareno Castelli et ux, lot.

Bristol—Dev. of John N. DeGroot to Ernestina Motta, lots, \$300.

Bristol twp.—Alexander Wilson et al to Otto W. Schmidt, lots.

## Mme. Kai-Shek Has Narrow Escape in Shanghai Bombing

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cheers as she walked through their entrenchments.

While the city shook to a renewed bombardment, Japanese transports continued to disembark reinforcements in preparation for an immediate offensive. The new Japanese drive is expected to be launched as soon as weather conditions permit use of mechanized units.

In today's artillery duel, the Japanese were far more active than Shanghai's defenders. The Japanese fired 10 shells to every single blast from the Chinese heavy guns.

A strong Chinese relief force struggled northward by forced marches today in a desperate effort to reach 50,000 of their fellow-troops trapped by Japanese forces between Lianghsiang and Chochou, south of Peiping.

The Japanese capped their sensational advances in North China by encircling the huge Chinese army there, completely isolating it from all contact with its military bases.

As the Chinese rescue force approached the scene, the Japanese attempted to intercept and if possible trap it too. The Japanese flanking maneuvers were impeded, however, by a sea of mud produced by fresh rain-falls. The Japanese soldiers were forced to wade nearly waist-deep in the mud, and their progress was slow.

While this mighty drama was being enacted in the north, South China received drastic notice that the war is extending to virtually all parts of the nation.

Advices from Hong Kong said all shipping in the vicinity of the great port of Canton was warned that the Canton River has been mined.

The mines, it was stated, extend all the way from the Boccatigris forts outside Canton to the second bar at the mouth of the river. Vessels were warned it will be possible for them to enter the port only under guidance of a government launch.

In Shanghai, Chinese military leaders jubilantly asserted 1,000 Japanese were killed by land mines as they advanced across farm lands in the vicinity of Lotien, battle center northwest of this city.

The reported slaughter was similar to a previous Chinese ruse early in the Shanghai campaign, when another thousand Japanese were killed by land mines which blew them to bits at Woosung.

Official Chinese sources declared their troops advanced half a mile along a new line north of Shanghai, following a fierce Chinese counter-offensive east of smoking Lotien and Liuhang.

With Japan's six-columned force of 60,000 men at the walls of Chochou and Taiyuan—and Japanese authorities claiming capture of both cities—action on the northern front appeared today to be at the mercy of the weather.

## TULLYTOWN

Louise Doan, a first grade pupil at the public school received a bad cut of the scalp, while playing at recess time, Tuesday morning. Three stitches was necessary to close the wound. The little girl fell against the edge of the fire escape. Louise was treated at Harbortown Hospital, Bristol.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Chase entertained over the week-end Mrs. James Leonard, Miss Betty Leonard, Miss May Leonard, Mr. John Leonard, Mr. William O'Neill and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Madden and son, Marty, Phila.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Paroli and family and Edward Polella were visitors in Philadelphia, Wednesday.

Arthur Appleton and Carl Stroup spent Tuesday visiting in Doylestown.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sutphin, Florence, N. J., were visitors at the home of James A. Nolan, Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Carlen spent Wednesday visiting in Philadelphia.

The social committee of the Fire Company is making plans to conduct a number of social affairs in the near future. Members of the company are discussing the possibilities of building a new fire house.

The Junior choir of the M. E. Church was re-organized Thursday evening and will render two selections at the church service on Sunday morning. The choir has ten members this year.

## EDGELY

Mrs. Justin Stradling entertained the Friendly Sewing Circle from Langhorne at a luncheon on Thursday afternoon at her home on Edgely avenue. Those enjoying the luncheon were: Mrs. Florence Thompson, Mrs. Dorothy Robinson, Mrs. Margaret Beck, Mrs. William Thomas, Mrs. Ida Carter, Mrs. Mary Kenderline, Mrs. Floyd Marlat, Mrs. Edna Praul, Mrs. Fred Schaefer, Mrs. Catherine Hopkins, Mrs. Virginia Beck, Mrs. Edna Brick and Mrs. Pearl Cook.

Mrs. Warner Allen was hostess to the Edgely card club last week with high score in pinochle going to Mrs. Mark Walters; second high, Mrs. John Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Morrison, Joseph Morrison, and Charles Hobbs,

Philadelphia, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rittler. Kendra Collins, Hightstown, N. J., spent Sunday as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Walker.

## Appoint Committees At East Bristol Twp. P. T. A.

EDGELY, Sept. 18.—The East Bristol Township Parent-Teacher Association held its first meeting of the school year, Thursday evening in Edgely school house, with Walter Rittler presiding. The meeting was opened by the reading of the Scripture by Walter D. Miller, and minutes of the previous meeting.

Various committees were appointed for the year, and the association decided to elect and install officers in February instead of May.

Mrs. Justin Stradling was appointed chairman of the by-laws committee, and Mrs. Richard Kunkle and Mrs. William Welker will also serve on this committee.

Mrs. Walter Rittler was appointed chairman of the card party committee, to be assisted by Mrs. Horace Walker, Mrs. Jacob Doster, Mrs. George Wheeler, and Mrs. Fred Hibbs.

The membership drive, which the association is conducting, proved to be a success as there are many new members added to the list.

A refreshment committee was appointed on Thursday evening which will serve refreshments at all future meetings during the coming year. Those serving are: Mrs. Richard Kunkle, Mrs. Hemminger, Mrs. Horace Walker, Mrs. Jacob Doster, Mrs. Walter Rittler, Mrs. Fred Hibbs, and Mrs. George Garretson.

The entertainment committee has promised the association to have entertainment also at the next meeting.

## Donate Food From Booth Festival to Mission in Phila.

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Dixie Land, Alaska, Brazil, Ireland and Egypt, were included in the displays by members of six different Epworth Leagues.

The largest display was by members of Yardley League, this showing a cotton plantation in Dixie Land. The booth covered a space approximately 20 feet long, with a colonial mansion on the edge of the cotton field. On the lawn of the large white house were two women in colonial costumes, while in the cotton fields, hard at work were many colored mamies in their red bandanas. Cotton plants were well made, the cotton showing its fleecy whiteness, with its roots firmly imbedded in real earth. A log cabin, the home of the workers, was on the far end of the plantation, and on cords above the display were scores and scores of cotton handkerchiefs.

Bristol's booth featured China, with tea and rice forming the basis of the display. The pagoda-like top for the booth was fashioned of black and red crepe paper, and from this were suspended many tiny tea-balls. Packages of tea and rice filled the exhibit space, and at prominent points were Chinese women with their colorful parasols.

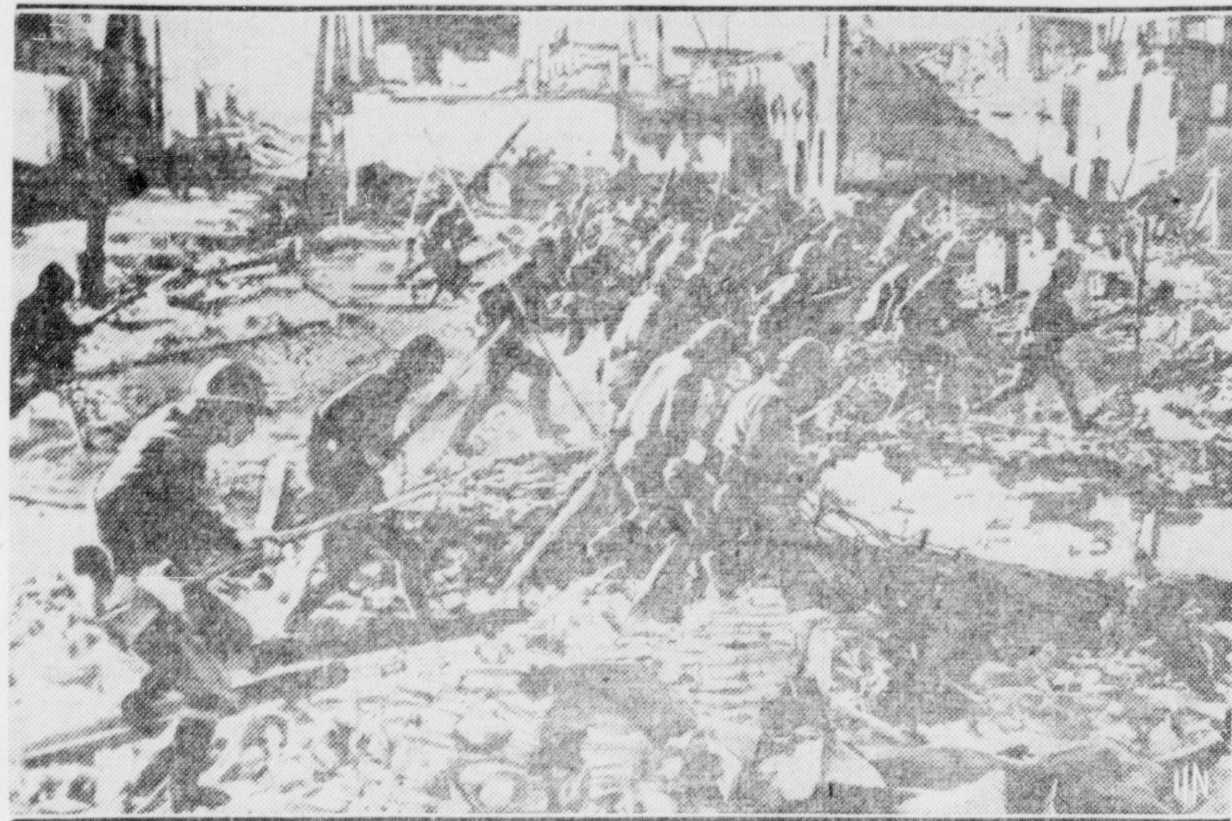
Alaska was the country represented in Scottsville's display. This long booth featured an Arctic scene, with sugar being used for snow, and white crepe paper for snow-banks. Three igloos were well fashioned, and a reindeer was to be seen crossing the frozen wastes. Small cubes of sugar, flower-decked, bordered the display, and a blue light added to the appearance, showing up each detail. Large bags of sugar were contributed for distribution by this League also.

Morrisville Leaguers featured Brazil, using coffee for this exhibit. The "Port of Good Will" was painted on the roof of the large coffee plant made of wood, while outside this plant stood trucks loaded with miniature bags of coffee. At the front of the booth small signs informed how the coffee was grown, ground, and served.

With potatoes utilized for the letters of the word "Ireland," Emilie League featured this country. Planted in earth on the large table were real plants, bearing potatoes. Bags of potatoes were also used in this display.

With a map of Egypt as a back-drop on the wall, Newtown League placed on the floor of the room a desert-like strip of land, made by means of dark display. The pagoda-like top for the

## Japanese Troops on the Run Through Shanghai



Following the retreating Chinese troops, Japanese forces, in full war equipment, pass through a residential section of Shanghai destroyed by bombs from their planes and naval forces. This picture graphically illustrates the undeclared "war" being waged in the Far East.

## Civic Club Opens Its Season at Yardley

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Abington Hospital, with glasses provided and tonsils removed.

The program for the afternoon was opened by Mrs. Force, who stressed the fact that the club has been in existence for the past 22 years, and used as her theme "Blaze a Trail today." Mrs. Force brought out the fact that courage, congeniality, civic pride and consciousness have been the basis of the club during its existence.

A paper "How the Early Members Blazed the Trail" was read by Mrs. Fred G. Satterthwaite, who told of the origin with 39 members, of whom the charter members include: Miss Nellie Gorton, Miss Elizabeth D. Clayton, Mrs. Catherine Hatrick, Mrs. Louis C. Leedom, Mrs. William H. Applegate and Mrs. Frank Sigafos.

Mrs. Lura R. Ross read a poem written by Mrs. Rebecca Large, at the fifth anniversary party of the club. An allegory written by Mrs. J. J. Cadwallader was also read. The highlights of the club programs were brought out by various members in talks and poems, with a grand total of 80 folks by outside guests, 90 papers in history, music, health and nature, and 15

plays staged by the members during this period.

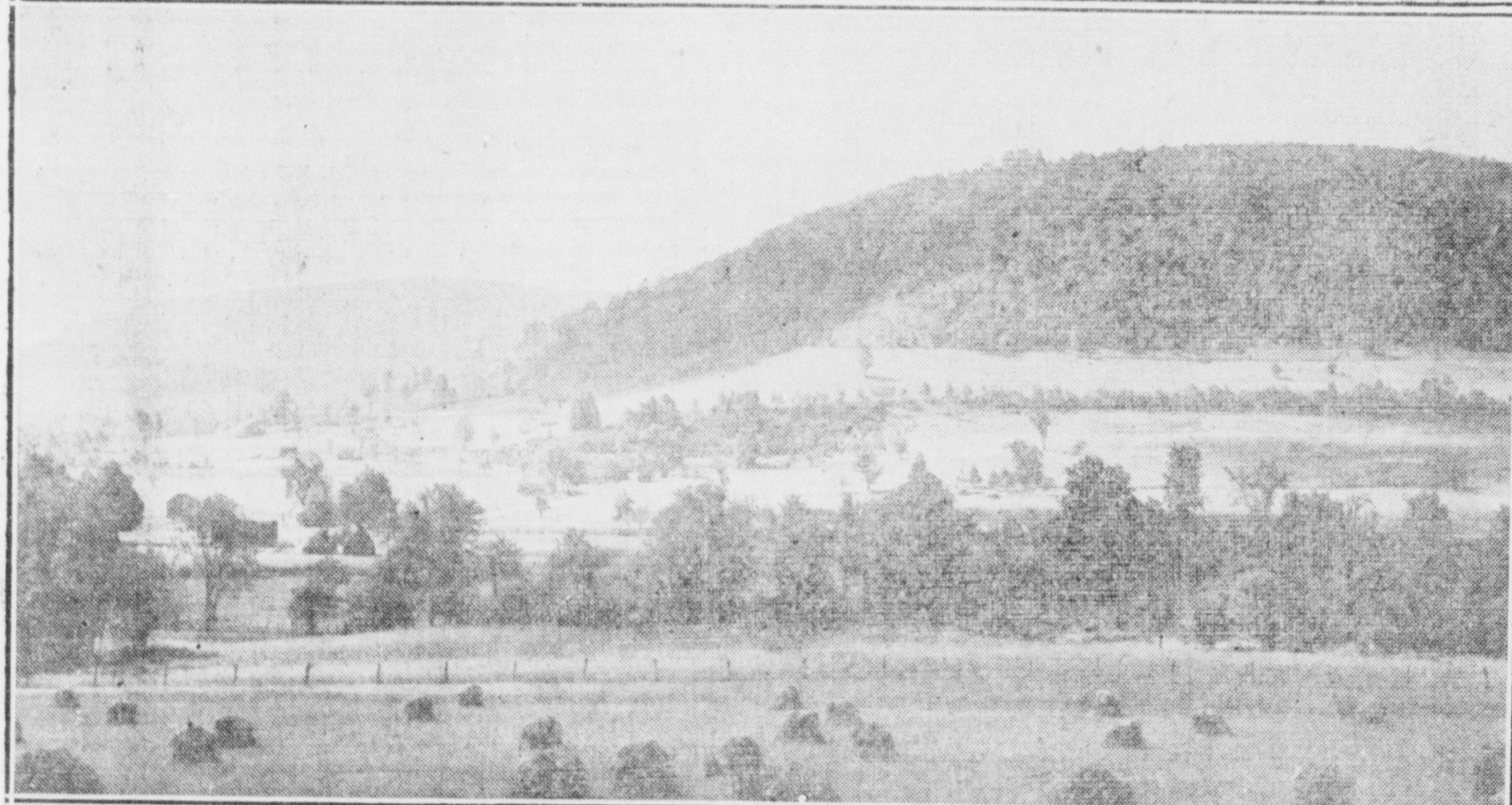
A duet "America the Beautiful" was then given by Mrs. C. C. Nelson and Miss Lillian Van Artsdalen.

Mrs. Robert Barbour took the group back 150 years to the signing of the constitution with a dramatic sketch with members of the club representing the signers of the Constitution: Mrs. Robert C. Belleville, 3rd, as Benjamin Franklin; Mrs. Robert S. Johnston, Governor Morris; Mrs. Vaughn S. Grundy, Thomas Mifflin; Mrs. Harry Magill, Jarrett Ingersoll; Mrs. Kinsey Dickel, Robert Morris; Miss Elizabeth S. Weeks, James Wilson; Margaret Groome, George Clymer; Mrs. Norman Tallman, Thomas Fitzsimmons, all of whom were delegates from the State of Pennsylvania, at the Constitutional Congress.

A vocal duet "There's A Long, Long Trail" was then given by Mrs. Nelson and Miss Van Artsdalen, after which the group was escorted to the rear of the municipal building by the past presidents, where a constitution tree was planted and dedicated by Mrs. C. C. Nelson, for the club. A shovel of dirt was thrown on the tree by Mrs. A. J. Cadwallader, as the first president of the club, and by Mrs. Lura R. Ross, as chairman of the garden committee.

A tea was later held in the club rooms with the members of the congress as hostesses.

## Expanse of North Tier Rural Beaut,



This panorama of Farmer's Valley, McKean County, in the North Tier, mirrors the peace of well-ordered living that characterizes Pennsylvania's agricultural sections.

## TEXAS PARADE WILL FEATURE PA. FLOAT

Harrisburg.—Pennsylvania will be represented by a float in the "Sun Parade" to be staged at El Paso, Texas, on New Year's Day—January 1, 1938.

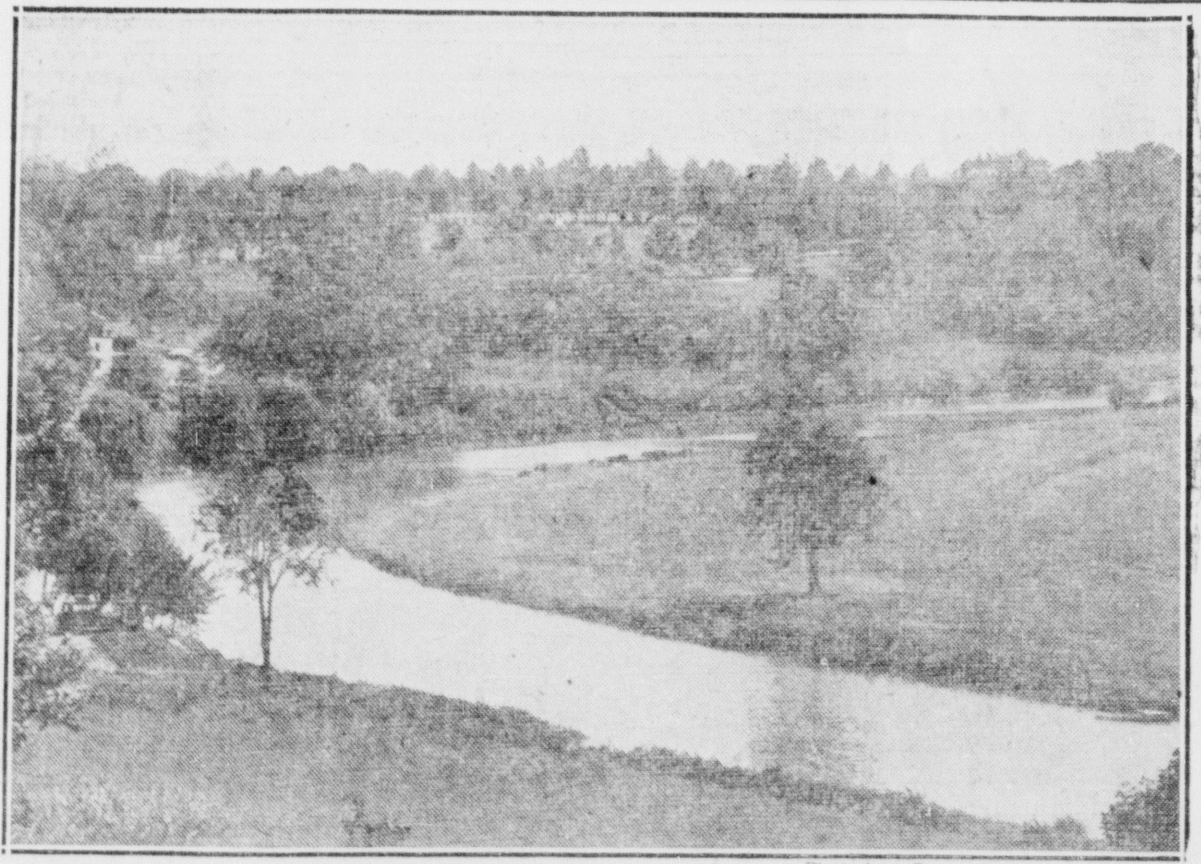
The Pennsylvania State Publicity Commission has forwarded suggestions which were requested for a float to suitably depict the attractions of this Commonwealth has to offer. Officials of the El Paso organization, staging the demonstration are sponsoring the Pennsylvania float. There will be no cost to this State.

The parade is part of the El Paso Sun Carnival to begin December 29. A Nation-wide radio hook-up will carry a description of the event. News reels and special films of the event will be made and exhibited in theaters throughout the country.

## RITZMAN TO TALK

Harrisburg.—Orson N. Ritzman, executive secretary of the Pennsylvania State Publicity Commission, will be one of the speakers at the annual convention of the "Greeters," in an auxiliary of the Pennsylvania State Hotel Association, in Bradford on Saturday, September 11. This State-wide meeting will be the Holley Hotel. Mr. Ritzman's subject will be "Pennsylvania, the Scenic State."

## Back Home on the Farm . . .



This view of the Conestoga River winding through Lancaster County reflects the repose of the State's richest farming region.

**BASEBALL**  
TOMORROW, 3 P. M. LANDRETH FIELD  
**R. D. WOOD of Florence**  
**vs. LANDRETH SEEDS**  
LAST GAME OF SEASON